

## JITNEY PAPER IS TABLED; WILL PRINT 100 COPIES

Action Postponed in Order  
That More Information  
May Be Secured.

### ALDERMAN GUNST IS AMAZED

Objects to Motion of Powers, De-  
claring It Unfair to Public to De-  
lay Further—Presents Resolution  
for City Home Work.

Confessing his amazement that members of the Board of Aldermen were not ready to vote on the proposed jitney ordinance, Alderman Mark Gunst last night vehemently objected to a motion offered by Alderman Joseph E. Powers that the proposed ordinance be tabled, 100 copies printed for information of members and other interested persons, and the body be called together immediately thereafter for final action. The motion was adopted with the single negative vote of Mr. Gunst.

Mr. Powers doubted "whether members could grapple with the question intelligently without first reading and digesting the various provisions of the paper," while Mr. Gunst stated that he was "utterly surprised" "We have hashed and rehashed the proposition for months," he said, "and it is unfair to the public to postpone action further." The paper is perfectly clear, and can be understood by the merest schoolboy.

Both Mr. Epps and Mr. Fuller agreed that no harm could be done by brief postponement. The clerk stated that he relieved the printed copies could be supplied within a few days.

An ordinance from the Streets Committee providing that contractors and others who use the streets for material must confine themselves to one-third of the street, instead of one-half as now prevailing, and be subjected to fines ranging from \$10 to \$50 for each violation of the provisions of the ordinance, was recommended to the committee for further consideration.

A resolution directing the City Attorney to acquire land at the triangular intersection of Monument Avenue, Franklin and Cleveland Streets, for park purposes, was concurred in, the paper now going to the Mayor for his signature.

Mr. White presented a resolution providing for an appropriation of \$20,000 for improvement at the City Home, which was sent to the Finance Committee.

An ordinance extending the 6-cent fare rate for street car service was referred to the Committee on Streets, and a petition from citizens on Kensington Avenue protesting against the operation of jitneys or motorbuses on that street was sent to the same committee.

### PHYSICIANS INDORSE CITY LIBRARY PLAN

Rear-Admiral Stitt Speaks at Regu-  
lar Meeting of Academy of Medi-  
cine and Surgery.

Indorsement of a city library was given last night by the Richmond Academy of Medicine and Surgery, at its regular meeting in the auditorium of the Chamber of Commerce. Rear-Admiral R. Stitt addressed the body on food deficiency diseases.

Among the visitors who spoke at the meeting last night were E. C. L. Jefferson, State president of the academy, Dr. Martin, health officer of Petersburg, and Dr. W. P. Drewry, superintendent of the Eastern State Hospital at Petersburg. Dr. Green, haughtman spoke on the food in the patient of the Medical College of Virginia and made a plea for academy cooperation in the matter.

Following the meeting, Admiral Stitt was the guest of honor at an informal reception and buffet supper at the Commonwealth Club, tendered by Dr. J. K. Hall, president of the academy.

### Maury Body to Meet.

The Matthews Fontaine Maury Association will hold its annual meeting tomorrow morning in room 4, Jefferson Hotel. This will be the seventh annual meeting, which was organized with the primary object in view of erecting a monument in Richmond to the memory of the "Pathfinder of the Sea." Arrangements will be made at the meeting of the association today for the exercises incidental to the laying of the cornerstone of the proposed monument on Thursday, June 25, during the Confederate Reunion. The site selected for the monument is about two blocks west of the Jackson statue which stands at the intersection of Monument Avenue and the Boulevard.

### Try Today

—If you were one of the thousands who couldn't get in yesterday to



**Norma Talmadge**  
in  
**Smilin' Through**

**BROADWAY**  
—NOW—

## HOUSEWIVES HERE OPPOSE BUILDING IN CAPITOL SQUARE

Resolution Prepared by Mrs. Kate Pleasants Minor Re-  
ceives Unanimous Support of Influential Women's  
Organization—Plan for Costume Ball.

Vigorous protest against the "desecration" of Capitol Square by the erection of a State office building thereon, resulting in a unanimous vote against such action by the Virginia Legislature, featured an overflow meeting of the Richmond branch, National Housewives' League, yesterday afternoon in the board room of the Federal Trust Company, 805 East Main Street.

Action of the housewives followed the presentation of a resolution prepared by Mrs. Kate Pleasants Minor, president, voicing in no uncertain terms the disapproval of the project.

**Has Large Membership.**  
The Richmond Housewives' League has a membership of several hundred representative women from all sections of the city, and is one of the most influential women's organizations in Richmond.

Mrs. H. J. Myers, Jr., president of the league, presided. A number of visitors were present as members of the general committee sponsoring the advertisers' costume ball including the general chairman, Mrs. E. D. Hotchkiss, and the secretary, Mrs. D. B. Hotchkiss, and the secretary of the Better Business Bureau, Mrs. Allen Gibbons.

Mrs. Kate Myers, who was also present, was unanimously elected a member of the executive committee of the Housewives' League. Mrs. Myers takes the place of Mrs. Paul Gibson, resigned.

Enthusiastic reports of chairman of committees working for the success of the advertisers' costume ball Saturday night showed that Richmond advertisers have given splendid co-operation toward making the ball a success.

### OVER 2,500 SINGERS AT MASS REHEARSAL

Call for Pageant Choir Meets With  
Better Response Than Was Ex-  
pected—Order More Books.

More than 2,500 men and women, members of the choirs of the various churches of the city, assembled in the City Auditorium last night for the first mass rehearsal of the songs to be used in the presentation of the Virginia Historical Pageant, during the week of May 22.

The large chorus was under the direction of Director Walter Mercer, and the volume of the chorus was so strong that the words could be heard more than a block distant, though the doors and windows of the Auditorium were closed.

The response to the request for singers was more than the most sanguine expected, and it became necessary for two and three singers to use the same book. However, more copies were telegraphed for last night and will be here for the rehearsal tomorrow night.

### WILL HONOR MEMORY OF SOUTH'S HEROES

Annual Exercises of Oakwood Mem-  
orial Association Will Be Held  
at Cemetery This Afternoon.

Under the auspices of the Oakwood Memorial Association annual memorial exercises will be held at Oakwood Cemetery this afternoon. The parade will form in front of old St. John's Church, Twenty-fifth and Broad streets at 2:45 o'clock, and Chief Marshal George K. Hoyer will start the column promptly at 4 o'clock. The line of march will be direct to the cemetery, where the graves of 20,000 men who wore the gray will be decorated.

It is requested that all persons send flowers to the cemetery early in the day and have them in place by the time the parade moves.

**Miller & Rhoads**  
"THE SHOPPING CENTER"

**TODAY  
Is the Last Day**

—in which one may secure one of the "Wear-Ever" Aluminum Utensils described here at the present low price—the quantity allotted us by the manufacturers will have been sold out by tonight, or the offer withdrawn.

The two-gallon Pre-serving Kettle, \$1.49.  
Cover for Kettle, 35c.  
The half-gallon Pan for 59c.  
Covers for Pan, 19c.

**Women Are Now Buying  
"WEAR-EVER"**  
(Aluminum Cooking Utensils)

—because they know, from many happy experiences, that "Wear-Ever" Utensils do save fuel, time and trouble, and are made of such hard, thick sheet aluminum that they must give enduring service. In order that you, too, may prove in your kitchen "Wear-Ever" quality, service and economy, we are offering the specials (as illustrated), each of which is priced at near half of what it is regularly.

Basement

## RADIO FANS HERE THROUG DISPATCH PAPERS' OFFICE

Quickly Recruited Army Is  
Enthusiastic Over Winning  
Receiver Sets.

A quickly recruited army of radio fans poured into the office of the Dispatch papers yesterday morning, following the opening of the second day of the Radiophone Receiver Club, in which hundreds of Richmond folks will win wireless receivers to listen in on the big broadcast stations all over the country.

Subscriptions galore began to pour in at an early hour, pointing towards an early winning of scores of "phones in short order. Men and women, boys and girls, of all ages, have become enthused with the new art of radio under the Dispatch plan. It is said that, because of the easily obtained fifteen subscribers necessary to procure the set, hundreds of itemizers, who would not otherwise care to indulge in the fascinating pastime, are entering the radio field.

Since the operation of the simple set is the most easily learned of any make, technical skill, or even knowledge gained in several hours' study, is by no means necessary. The erection of the antenna, the only connection requiring even a few moments, is just as simple as putting up a clothes line.

The addition of the Dispatch radiophone to the library table is

### Today and Tonight in Richmond

Richmond Light Infantry Blues, anniversary at Blues' farm, 10 A. M. to 6 P. M.  
John Marshall House, Ninth and Marshall Streets, open 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
Richmond Advertisers' Club, Murphy's Hotel, 1 P. M.  
Oakwood Memorial Day, parade leaves Twenty-fifth and Broad Streets at 4 P. M.  
For theater Calendar, see page five.

entirely feasible, due to its very finished case of polished oak with hard rubber panel of extreme simplicity. Its compact design makes it possible to place it in an unusually small space.

### To Fight for McManis.

Virginia's fight to bring R. H. McManis and James A. Cochrane back to Richmond to stand trial for alleged grand larceny in connection with the failure of the stock brokerage firm of R. H. McManis & Co., will be opened tomorrow morning in Schemm's Auditorium, N. Y., when Commonwealth's Attorney Dave Satterfield will appear before Governor Miller to urge the extradition of both men. Judge W. M. K. O'Leary, of New York, will assist Mr. Satterfield, and H. O. Stone, general bookkeeper in the McManis office here, will be a witness at the hearing.

### NAME CROXTON GORDON HEAD OF V. M. I. CLUB

Dr. S. C. Mitchell, of the University  
of Richmond, Is Principal  
Speaker at Annual Session.

Following a dinner at the University Club, the annual meeting of the Virginia Military Institute Club of Richmond was held last night, with Dr. S. C. Mitchell, of the University of Richmond, as the principal speaker.

Officers elected for the ensuing year were: T. Croxtan Gordon, president; Tazewell Elliott, vice-president, and L. L. Leach, secretary and treasurer. Dr. Mitchell spoke on the opportunities in the South for the advancement of the college man. Reports of officers showed the club to be in a flourishing condition.

### Elect Chamber Secretary.

Directors of the Chamber of Commerce will meet at 4 o'clock this afternoon to elect a secretary to fill the position made vacant by the death of Peyton Giles. It is understood that there are a number of applicants for the position, and the directors will have some men of exceptional ability to select from.

### Presents "A Kentucky Bell."

The Wednesday Dramatic Club, under the direction of Mrs. Harry H. Mutter, will present "A Kentucky Bell," tonight at 8:15 o'clock in Bainbridge Junior High School. Miss Violet Sheffield and Henry Robb will play leading roles.

## Give Up Reunion to Help Starving

Confederate Veterans Say  
Sherman Had Wings  
Compared to Pasha.

Two old Confederates, veterans of Bull Run and Chancellorsville, who have saved for eight months to have the pleasure of coming to Richmond for the last annual reunion which they say they ever hope to attend, have voluntarily abandoned their trip in order to give their savings to the children of the Near East. The veterans are "Cal" Everett and his "bud" of Raleigh, whose name is not mentioned in the dispatch received by State Near East Chairman Oliver J. Sands, telling of the incident.

"Cal" sent four greasy \$1 bills to Mr. Sands with a note, in which he said that old memories of the black days following 1861 had been awakened by reports of atrocities by the Turks and Mohammedans in the old Bible lands.

"We thought Sherman was a devil, but he had wings sprouting, compared with Exer Pasha and his men," the old man wrote.

### Pastor Leaves Westhampton.

Rev. Charles Hall, who for eight years has been pastor of Westhampton Baptist Church, has accepted the pastorate of the Main Street Baptist

Church, Luray. Mr. and Mrs. Hall were given a farewell reception on the eve of their departure at the church. H. Lee Smith spoke for the church, expressing deep regret at their leaving, and on behalf of the church and the community, presented to them a handsomely bound leather book with the pages made of \$1 bills. Mrs. Hall was presented also with a corsage of roses by the women of the church. A buffet luncheon was served during the evening.

### Service Legion to Meet.

The regular monthly meeting of the Service Legion will be held tomorrow morning in room 520, Jefferson Hotel. As this is the last meeting before the annual one, which will be held on the second Thursday in June with the election of officers, it is desired that all having membership blanks will have them filled by May 11 ready for acceptance by the board. Those who are interested in the preservation of civilian war records and the continuation of patriotic work, are invited to be present and to become members. The committee for the float will make its final report and the insignia of the organization adopted, at this meeting.

### Ad. Club Meets Today.

President R. E. Hotze, Jr., of the Richmond Advertising Club, promises a strictly business program for the weekly luncheon at Murphy's Hotel today at 12:35 o'clock. The address will be delivered by Frank I. Enkler, of Washington, sales manager for Barron G. Collier, Inc., who will speak on "The Psychology of Advertising."

## Miller & Rhoads "THE SHOPPING CENTER"

### TO DISCUSS SPENDING FUNDS FOR PAGEANT

Advertising Committee of City Council Will Meet This Afternoon  
In Office of Saunders.

The Advertising Committee of City Council has been called to meet at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the office of W. Conway Saunders, general manager of the Virginia Historical Pageant Association, in the Mutual Building. This committee has supervision over the expenditure of the \$25,000 recently appropriated by City Council as the city's share of the expenses incidental to the conduct of the pageant.

The committee also has supervision of the expenditure of the \$25,000 appropriated for the entertainment of the old soldiers during the Confederate Reunion here next month. Members of the committee are Aldermen W. H. Adams, Joseph C. Nunnally and W. Stewart White; Councilmen Fred H. Powell, Walter A. Williams, Jr., James E. Peters and Perry S. Smith.

### PERMIT IS ISSUED BANK TO BUILD AN ADDITION

Construction at Broadway National  
Will Cost \$77,500—Hay T. Thorn-  
ton Will Erect Stores.

A building permit was yesterday issued to the Broadway National Bank Corporation to build an addition to the present structure at Fifteenth and Main Streets, to cost \$77,500. The present bank building will be enlarged by an addition adjoining on the west side of the bank, fronting Main Street.

A permit was also issued to Hay T. Thornton to build five brick stores and dwellings at 104 to 112 Brookland Park Boulevard, to cost \$77,000. Other permits were issued to W. D. Hunt, to build a frame and stucco dwelling at 3404-6 North Adams, to cost \$7,000, and to S. D. England, to build a frame dwelling at 4448 Bellevue Avenue, to cost \$3,500.

## Here's Something New

A Startling Money and  
Time Saving Idea That  
All Mothers Will Welcome

Semi-made Children's Garments at less than HALF the cost of the ready-made. Chic, clever, delightful styles, that you can complete easily, quickly, perfectly.

## The READI-SEW PACKAGE

In every package is the material accurately cut, beautifully embroidered, with every detail of trimming inclosed, together with a simple, easily followed instruction sheet that any one can understand. You can make twice as many garments for your youngsters at less than half the price of the ready-made.

### Get Them in the Basement Store

Around this advertisement are cuts of the actual garments—"semi-made"—that we now have in stock. Come and see them, or order by number, as you prefer. MILLER & RHOADS.

Style 2003—\$1.25  
Smartly Individual Sailor Pantie Dress of Peggy Cloth.  
Sizes 2 to 6.

Style 208—\$1.25  
Very effective White Sailor Suit of Lonsdale Jean.  
Sizes 2 to 6.

Style 107—\$1.00  
Delightful Sailor Suit of Peggy Cloth.  
Sizes 1 to 3.

Style 112—\$1.00  
Daintily embroidered Linen Solsette Creeper, in white, pink or blue.  
Sizes 6 Months to 2 Years.

Style 209—\$1.40  
Handsome Oliver Twist Suit, white waist, blue, green or brown pants.  
Sizes 2 to 6.

Style 100—\$1.25  
Dainty ruffled Girls' Rompers, white blouse, pink or blue bloomers.  
Sizes 2 to 4.

Style 214—\$1.15  
Beautifully embroidered Girls' Dress of Peggy Cloth, in tan, blue or green.  
Sizes 3 to 5.  
Sizes 6 to 10—\$1.40.

Style 210—\$1.25  
Delightful Middy Suit, in blue, green or tan Peggy Cloth.  
Sizes 2 to 6.

Style 110—\$1.15  
Silk-smocked fine White Poplin Creepers.  
Sizes 6 Months to 2 Years.

Style 210—\$1.25  
Cute Sailor Dress of ever-wear white Jean.  
Sizes 3 to 5.  
Sizes 6 to 8—\$1.50.

Style 218—\$1.25  
Pretty Girls' Dress of fast-color fine Linen Solsette, in blue, maize or pink.  
Sizes 2 to 6.

Style 108—\$1.40  
Novelty Striped Creeper of Devonshire—stripes in blue, lavender or pink.  
Sizes 6 Months to 2 Years.

Style 200—\$1.50  
Stunning Pantie Dress of fast-color Linen Solsette, blue, pink or maize.  
Sizes 2 to 6.

Style 211—\$1.20  
Novelty Oliver Twist Suit, in blue, green or tan Peggy Cloth.  
Sizes 2 to 6.